

In the Claims

The status of claims in the case is as follows:

1 1. [Withdrawn] Method for creating and designing
2 collaboration space forms, comprising:

3 organizing said collaboration space according to an
4 object model selectively including place, room, folder,
5 page, member, form, field, placetype, roomtype, skin,
6 and placebot objects;

7 displaying an interface to said place at a client
8 browser;

9 operating said client browser for creating said form as
10 an object of said place; and

11 operating said client browser for selecting and
12 creating said fields for said form.

1 2. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 1, further comprising

2 the step responsive to a user request to create said field,
3 displaying at said browser a task page together with an edit
4 page and fields for all of the material needed to create
5 said field.

1 3. [[Withdrawn -- Currently amended] A method for
2 creating forms in a place in collaboration space, comprising
3 the steps of:

4 creating at a browser a script file containing field
5 properties and methods which display and ~~operating~~
6 operate on said field; and

7 generating forms with reference to said field
8 properties and methods while generating hypertext links
9 on the fly.

1 4. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 3, said forms being
2 task forms.

1 5. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 3, further comprising

2 the steps of:

3 responsive to a request to create a new page, obtaining
4 and displaying to said user a list of possible forms;

5 responsive to a user request to create a new form,
6 obtaining and displaying to said user fields related to
7 said form and an add field selector;

8 responsive to user selection of said add field
9 selector, displaying to said user a list of field types
10 that can be created;

11 responsive to user selection and configuration of each
12 fields corresponding to said field types, saving said
13 new form; and

14 thereafter, responsive to a request to create a new
15 page, displaying said new form in said list of possible
16 form.

1 6. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 3, further comprising
2 the steps of:

3 providing a task option for defining a task in
4 collaboration space when adding a new field to a form.

1 7. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 6, said task option
2 providing for specification of task criteria including start
3 date, whether said task will have a priority or category,
4 and a default value for priority.

1 8. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 3, further comprising
2 the steps of storing at a server client code for creation of
3 fields, and responsive to user selection of field creation
4 sending said client code as a page containing script code
5 for generating html for execution at said client.

1 9. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 7, said task criteria
2 specifying that a task page be viewed as a timeline, with
3 options for refining said timeline display for a variety of
4 time scales.

1 10. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 9, said task criteria

2 specifying that a task page be viewed in list mode.

1 11. [Withdrawn] A method for defining forms to create
2 pages within collaboration space, comprising the steps of:

3 executing one of three options to create a form, said
4 options being:

5 creating a form using field objects from said
6 collaboration space;

7 importing a form created in legacy text editor;
8 and

9 importing a form created in an html editor;

10 providing in each said option methods for uploading a
11 document and sending a notification, adding a method to
12 a calendar, and adding a task to a place in said space.

1 12. [Withdrawn] The method of claim 11, said legacy text
2 editor being Microsoft Word.

1 13. [Original] A method for adapting collaboration space
2 to reflect workflow, comprising the step of:

3 responsive to request by a client browser user at an
4 interface to said collaboration space to use a form to
5 create a page, providing an options page including work
6 flow options selectable by said user for specifying
7 workflow options for pages created using said form,
8 said options including:

9 no special workflow, specifying that pages may be
10 published by said user;

11 simple submit, specifying that pages may be
12 created and submitted by said user;

13 editor, specifying that pages created by said user
14 will only be published after being approved an
15 editor;

16 approval cycle, specifying that each page is to
17 routed through a series of members of a place in a

18 specific order;

19 multiple editors, specifying that pages created by
20 an author can, once published, be further edited
21 by any of the authors in a room in said space.

1 14. [Original] A method for creating pages in
2 collaboration space, comprising the steps of:

3 at a client browser providing a user interface to said
4 collaboration space;

5 responsive to a user request to create a new form,
6 displaying an add fields panel including a task field;

7 responsive to user selection of said task field,
8 providing input fields for said user to enter task
9 name, start date, priority;

10 thereafter, allowing users to create pages based on
11 said form by selecting said form from a list of
12 available forms.

1 15. [Withdrawn] A system for creating and designing
2 collaboration space forms, comprising:

3 said collaboration space being structured according to
4 an object model selectively including place, room,
5 folder, page, member, form, field, placetype, roomtype,
6 skin, and placebot objects;

7 a client browser for displaying an interface to said
8 place;

9 a create form panel for creating from client browser
10 said form as an object of said place by selecting and
11 creating said fields for said form.

1 16. [Withdrawn] A system for creating forms in a place in
2 collaboration space, comprising:

3 a browser at a client for creating a script file
4 containing field properties and methods which display
5 and operate on said field; and

6 means for generating forms with reference to said field

7 properties and methods while generating hypertext links
8 on the fly.

1 17. [Withdrawn] A system for defining forms to create
2 pages within collaboration space, comprising:

3 means for executing one of three options to create a
4 form, said options being:

5 creating a form using field objects from said
6 collaboration space;

7 importing a form created in legacy text editor;
8 and

9 importing a form created in an html editor;

10 means for providing in each said option methods for
11 uploading a document and sending a notification, adding
12 a method to a calendar, and adding a task to a place in
13 said space.

1 18. [Original] A system for creating pages in
2 collaboration space, comprising:

3 a client browser for providing a user interface to said
4 collaboration space;

5 an add field panel responsive to a user request to
6 create a new form for displaying an add fields panel
7 including a task field;

8 input fields responsive to user selection of said task
9 field for providing receiving task criteria from said
10 user;

11 said add field panel thereafter for allowing other
12 users to create pages based on said form by selecting
13 said form from a list of available forms.

1 19. [Withdrawn] A program storage device readable by a
2 machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for creating
4 and designing collaboration space forms, said method steps
5 comprising:

6 organizing said collaboration space according to an
7 object model selectively including place, room, folder,
8 page, member, form, field, placetype, roomtype, skin,
9 and placebot objects;

10 displaying an interface to said place at a client
11 browser;

12 operating said client browser for creating said form as
13 an object of said place; and

14 operating said client browser for selecting and
15 creating said fields for said form.

1 20. [Original] A program storage device readable by a
2 machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for creating
4 forms in a place in collaboration space, said method steps
5 comprising:

6 creating at a browser a script file containing field
7 properties and methods which display and operating on
8 said field; and

9 generating forms with reference to said field
10 properties and methods while generating hypertext links
11 on the fly.

1 21. [Withdrawn] A program storage device readable by a
2 machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for defining
4 forms to create pages within collaboration space, said
5 method steps comprising:

6 executing one of three options to create a form, said
7 options being:

8 creating a form using field objects from said
9 collaboration space;

10 importing a form created in legacy text editor;
11 and

12 importing a form created in an html editor;

13 providing in each said option methods for uploading a
14 document and sending a notification, adding a method to

15 a calendar, and adding a task to a place in said space.

1 22. [Original] A program storage device readable by a
2 machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for adapting
4 collaboration space to reflect workflow, said method steps
5 comprising:

6 responsive to request by a client browser user at an
7 interface to said collaboration space to use a form to
8 create a page, providing an options page including work
9 flow options selectable by said user for specifying
10 workflow options for pages created using said form,
11 said options including:

12 no special workflow, specifying that pages may be
13 published by said user;

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15 created and submitted by said user;

16 editor, specifying that pages created by said user
17 will only be published after being approved an

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19 approval cycle, specifying that each page is to
20 routed through a series of members of a place in a
21 specific order;

22 multiple editors, specifying that pages created by
23 an author can, once published, be further edited
24 by any of the authors in a room in said space.

1 23. [Withdrawn] A program storage device readable by a
2 machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for creating
4 pages in collaboration space, said method steps comprising:

5 at a client browser providing a user interface to said
6 collaboration space;

7 responsive to a user request to create a new form,
8 displaying an add fields panel including a task field;

9 responsive to user selection of said task field,
10 providing input fields for said user to enter task

11 name, start date, priority;

12 thereafter, allowing other users to create pages based
13 on said form by selecting said form from a list of
14 available forms.

1 24. [Withdrawn] A computer program product or computer
2 program element for creating pages in collaboration space
3 according to steps comprising:

4 at a client browser providing a user interface to said
5 collaboration space;

6 responsive to a user request to create a new form,
7 displaying an add fields panel including a task field;

8 responsive to user selection of said task field,
9 providing input fields for said user to enter task
10 name, start date, priority;

11 thereafter, allowing users to create pages based on
12 said form by selecting said form from a list of
13 available forms.

1 25. [Withdrawn] A computer program product for creating
2 forms in a place in collaboration space according to method
3 steps comprising:

4 creating at a browser a script file containing field
5 properties and methods which display and operating on
6 said field; and

7 generating forms with reference to said field
8 properties and methods while generating hypertext links
9 on the fly.